

**Version With Markings To Show Changes Made**

***In The Specification:***

Amended page 3, replace the paragraph beginning on line 11 with the following rewritten paragraph:

This object is solved with the ultrasonic transducer and the process according to the features described herein [of claims 1 and 15]. Advantageous embodiments of the ultrasonic transducer and the process for its fabrication are also disclosed herein [the subject matter of the subclaims].